NEW! Online Learning Course: Preventing and Managing Infectious Diseases in Early Education and Child Care



Description:

This course provides you with reliable national resources for guidance on preventing and managing infectious diseases and is designed for everyone who cares for children, including health care professionals and child care providers.

Learning objectives:

Upon its completion, you will be able to:

- Recognize how infectious diseases (ID) are spread
- Identify the role of caregivers in preventing or controlling the spread of ID by hygiene, immunization, environmental controls and healthy lifestyle
- Recognize the actions involved in conducting a daily health check
- Identify the criteria for excluding an ill child from attending child care and recognize when it is not helpful

To access the course:

If you have an AAP User ID:

- 1. Go to http://bit.ly/infdisease
- 2. Click the green "Register" button
- 3. Enter your AAP ID and Password
- 4. Select "register as an individual"
- Click "Continue with Registration" and verify information
- 6. The next page displays the name of the course, click "Sign Up"
- 7. Select "Check Out Now" at the bottom of the page to finish your registration.

If you do NOT have an AAP User ID:

- Go to http://bit.ly/AAPregister
- Enter your email address and click "go"
- 3. Click on the "individual" button
- 4. Complete the form & set up a user name and password
- 5. You now have a user ID, please follow instructions in the column to the left

Note to child care providers:

This course is approved for 2.0 contact hours. Once you have completed the course, click the Claim Your Credit link on the side navigation bar to print your certificate of completion.

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